# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# TEXTILES
# LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4478
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SCIENTIFIC PERSONNEL IN CENTRAL SILK BOARD
Sugavanam Shri E.G.

**Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:**

(a) whether Central Silk Board is facing shortage of scientific personnel in the frontier areas of research and submitted a proposal for filling up of the required personnel;

(b) if so, the action taken by the Government thereon;

(c) the time by which the required scientific personnel are likely to be inducted; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

## Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI E.V.K.S. ELANGOVAN)

(a): Yes, Sir. A proposal has been submitted to the Ministry of Textiles, Govt. of India (vide letter No.CSB-37/2/XI Plan/2006-07/TS, dated 5th April 2007 ) seeking approval for creation of additional 117 posts to sustain the ongoing R&D Programmes and to give a new thrust to R&D activities.

(b) to (d): The above revised proposal has come recently and is under examination of the Govt. of India.